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WILL ACCEPT.

Rev. A. C. Biddle Will Again Preach to Cumberlandans.

The session of the Cumberland Presbyterian church having notified the Rev. A. C. Biddle that he would be acceptable to the congregation as its pastor, Mr. Biddle has signified his acceptance of the call. Next Sunday morning a congregational meeting will be held and a formal call made. This is a mere formality as it is tacitly understood by both parties that Mr. Biddle is again to be the pastor of the church. He will occupy his pulpit next Sunday morning.

Of Mr. Biddle's fitness as the shepherd of his old flock it is unnecessary to say anything. About twelve years ago he was in active work as pastor, but owing to an affection of his eyes he had to abandon study to a great extent, many of his friends fearing he would lose his vision altogether. But he seems to have gotten over this great difficulty and is now able to throw into his work all of his enthusiasm and energy of past years.

Mr. Biddle is preparing to move his family from Lafayette and will occupy the manse adjoining the church, which is now being renovated.

GANO C. GRISSOM.

A Former Hopkinsville Boy Dies in Nashville.

Gano C. Grissom, formerly of this city, and a son of the late M. W. Grissom, died Thursday night at the home of his mother, Mrs. D. R. Carpenter, in Nashville. He had been ill for over two years, suffering from tuberculosis. Mr. Grissom was 31 years old. Since leaving Hopkinsville he had been engaged in the newspaper business as reporter on several papers, among them being the Memphis Commercial Appeal, the Memphis Scimitar, the Nashville Sun, the Nashville Banner and the Birmingham Age-Herald.

Several years ago he was married to Miss Carrie Hite, of Nashville. He had no children. Only recently he received the appointment of Chief of the Public Department of the Tennessee State Fair. His mother was with him when the end came, and also his only sister, Mrs. A. L. Bordon (formerly Miss Ione Grissom) of Cottonport, La., who was called to Nashville when her brother's condition became serious. The remains arrived here last night and will be interred in Hopewell cemetery today.

ELKS ENROUTE

To Grand Lodge Reunion at Denver, Colorado.

J. D. Russell, local manager of the Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Co., left yesterday for Denver, Col., as a representative of Hopkinsville Lodge of Elks, to the Grand Lodge reunion, which meets in that place next Monday. J. M. Sawrl, of the Nashville office, will have charge here during Mr. Russell's absence. Others from here who will attend are: W. R. Wicks, T. J. Tate and M. V. Dulin.

The delegations from Central, Eastern and Western Kentucky will converge at St. Louis, where a specially chartered train with six Pullman sleepers will convey the united party on its way. A dinner will be attached, so that a through passage can be made.

The Elks will stop for a day at Colorado Springs, while the City of Millionaires is making preparations to entertain them in legal style. After visiting all of its show places they will continue on to Denver and the gathering of the clans.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that Adwell & McShane have been appointed superintendents of the Hopkinsville Sewerage Co., with authority to make all connections and collections. Apply to them for any information as to rates, connections, etc.

CHAS. S. JACKSON, Sec'y.

WAR ON THISTLES.

County Attorney J. C. Duffy Will Take Up the Fight Started By Mayor.

THE TEN DAYS' NOTICE.

It Is a State Law and Will Be Enforced All Over the County.

County Attorney John C. Duffy has joined Mayor Meacham in the war on Canada thistles.

The law is plain and Sections 200 and 201 of the Statutes impose a fine of \$5.00 for each failure to cut this vicious weed.

Practically all of the thistles have been cut in the city limits and those found uncut Monday morning will subject the lot owners or lessees to a fine in every case.

Non-resident owners will be reached through agents in control. These thistles must be eradicated in the city. Some of the public roads leading into town are already thickly lined with these purple blossomed nuisances and are even now floating their ripened seed over adjoining farms and into the city limits.

These thistles will subject the county to prosecution and unless cut within two miles of town the mayor will issue warrants and test the matter in the justices' courts. But County Attorney Duffy will make this hardly necessary, as he is going after those who are raising thistles on their farms. The following formal notice is published by his authority:

Thistle Order.

The attention of land-owners and lessees of Christian county is hereby called to the fact that under the laws of the State of Kentucky (Sec. 200 and 201, Kentucky Statutes) they are required to cut and prevent the weed known as Canada Thistle from growing on their premises, and a fine of \$5.00 is imposed for each offense, and notice is hereby given to all who have the said thistle growing either in their fields, along their fence rows or on their side of the public roads, that if same are not cut by July 25, 1906, that I will proceed to have warrants issued in all cases where said thistle is allowed to grow after said date and will enforce the law in regard to same against each and every one without discrimination. JNO. C. DUFFY, July 13, 1906. County Attorney. This has a business ring about it and the various justices of the peace would do well to lay by their crops and prepare for a busy time about July 25.

In the meantime owners of city property who are raising thistles to injure the lots of their neighbors, will hear something drop next Monday, when a mounted policeman inspects their premises.

SMALL FIRE

On Fourth and Thompson Streets Yesterday.

At 9 o'clock yesterday morning the fire department was called to East Fourth and Thompson streets. When the department reached the house of Prof. Shofner the fire, which had originated from a defective flue in the kitchen, had made considerable headway. It was a long run for the department, the house standing out toward the city limits, and the horses had to make a run every foot of which was up grade. But they made good time and the front of the house was saved. Besides the kitchen there were four rooms and all the furniture was taken out excepting what was in the kitchen. There was \$400 insurance on the furniture and \$500 on the building. The owner of the building is a colored teacher.

MOTHER AND FATHER

Given Short Terms, But Son Got Twenty Years.

James Young, who was on trial at Dover, Tenn., charged with the murder of John Wallace, was convicted of voluntary manslaughter Thursday, and his punishment was fixed at confinement in the penitentiary for twenty years. Young's father, Henry Young, and his mother who were indicted as accessories, were each given two years. Wallace was killed near Weaver's Store, Tenn., one day in March last by being struck on the head with a bludgeon. Judge J. S. Ragdale, of Lafayette, assisted in the defense of the trio.

Nonogenarian Dead.

Mrs. Harriet Bronaugh died near Pembroke, after a long illness, aged 92 years. She was a native of Virginia, and came to this county with her husband over sixty years ago. She was a member of the Baptist church.

ALL KINDS

Fresh Vegetables
Fresh Daily.

The largest and finest sold in the city.

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Wholesale and Retail Grocers.

CARRIE NATION AGAIN.

Arrested For Having Misused the Mails.

Dallas, Tex., July 12.—Mrs. Carrie Nation was arrested at Cleburne by a Deputy United States Marshal on a warrant charging her with having misused the mails. She was brought to Dallas, and after appearing before United States Commissioner A. W. May, was released on bond in the sum of \$2,500. The examining trial is set for July 31.

The warrant comes from Guthrie, Oklahoma, and specifies that she deposited in the post-office a publication containing an improper article, headed "A Private Talk to Boys."

CLIMAX MILLS SITE BOUGHT

Will Front on the North Side of Twenty-First Street.

CONTRACTS ARE TO LET

Drawings Will Be Here on Monday and Work Will Begin at Once.

The Climax Milling Company closed a trade with the Forbes Manufacturing Company last Thursday for a site on which to erect its large flouring mill.

The purchase embraces 375 feet of ground fronting South Walnut street, 250 feet on 21st street and running along the belt line railroad 325 feet. A more eligible site could not have been selected. It is east of the large building now being put up by the American Shuff Co. All wheat can be conveniently delivered from wagons and the output of the mill can be loaded on cars on the belt line right off the platform.

The company has been negotiating for the piece of land for some time, knowing that it was better adapted for its wants than any along the belt line. The plans of the building, which have been in the hands of competent architects for several weeks, are about completed and are expected to be in the hands of the officers of the company by next Monday or Tuesday. In a few days after receiving the plans and specifications the company will proceed to let out the contracts for foundation, erecting the building, etc.


It is the intention of the company to push the completion of the building as rapidly as possible and install the machinery as soon as practicable. Nothing but the latest and most improved machinery will be put in. Every up-to-date contrivance for improving the quality of flour will be adopted and the new mill will be one of the best equipped in this section of the State. The company will, doubtless, place most of its products in the Southern States, which in the past year, having found out the superior quality of Kentucky flour, and we might say pre-eminent Hopkinsville flour, depends to a very considerable extent on Kentucky, and Hopkinsville, for their breadstuffs. The amount of flour consumed by our home people is nothing in comparison with what we are now making. The field is not only large enough for the new mill, but any other that may be started in the future. Hopkinsville is fast coming to the front as a flour market and the new mill will secure its part of the trade.

Miss Cayce Appointed.

Miss Nell Cayce has been appointed Deputy County Clerk and will assist in the work in the clerk's office.

Bought Dawson Grocery.

M. F. Adams, of near Crofton, has bought out the grocery stock of G. W. Knox, at Dawson, and will engage in business at that place.



The trade mark "Standard" on Porcelain Enameled Plumbing fixtures means as much to you as our name does when we install them. In addition to the trade mark, each "Standard" fixture bears the manufacturer's "Green and Gold" label, which is the guarantee of highest quality.

Forbes Manufacturing Co., Incorporated.

Blackberries Wanted!

Hopkinsville Canning Co. will buy all your berries if delivered to their factory on Tuesday, Thursday or Saturday of each week in good condition. Highest market prices paid. For particulars phone Cumberland 233.

W. R. Brumfield, Mgr.

Kentucky and Tennessee Fair Association,

(INCORPORATED.)

Guthrie, Ky.,

Will Hold Its

Second Annual Fair August 23, 24, 25, 1906.

Our mile track is in fine condition for training.

\$3,500 will be offered in stakes, purses and premiums.

Bring your pacers, trotters, show horses and show stock of every kind. Also poultry, pantry, needle work and farm products.

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R. Lester, Secy.

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RATES.

\$2 per Day! \$10 per Week!
\$35 per Month!

Children 10 years and under \$5 per week!
Nurses and Maids \$1 per day!

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All kinds of Fresh Vegetables
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BACHELOR GIRL'S BUTTONS

Desperate Measures Resorted to by One to Get Release from Dinner Gown.

The present style of fastening women's dresses down the back, although pretty and very becoming to the fair wearers, has decided disadvantages. Comparatively few women have maids, and many are the sole representatives of their sex in their own households.

Nowadays exclusively feminine conventions are wont to exchange curious tales relating the shifts to which lone women must resort in order to get in and out of her clothes. Even their best young men, provided they were already proved trustworthy and discreet, have been pressed into service by enterprising girls, who, faring home from some evening festivity, and foreseeing battle and defeat awaiting them, have permitted their escorts respectfully to undo the central—always the most obdurate—button in the back of the bodices.

Even more desperate measures were resorted to by a bachelor maid who, after a recent social occasion, having returned to her bachelor flat after wearing with much satisfaction a brand new dinner gown, discovered to her dismay when she endeavored to undo its posterior fastenings that one or two of them positively refused to unfasten. The bachelor girl lived alone, there was no janitor, and her sole maid had left in a huff the previous day. What to do? She could not go to her bed in her best gown, and it looked as if she would have to sit up all night.

After some moments of horrible reflection the distressed woman resolved to brave the terrors of the street and accost the first feminine wayfarer. She therefore let herself out and interrogated the midnight horizon for a sail. At that moment a passing car stopped and a couple alighted. The too firmly buttoned up woman approached the pair and, with a humble apology, proffered her request. An irrefragable grunt was heard to issue from the otherwise silent lips of the man—the grunt of one who had acquired through experience a cynical disdain of feminine follies—the grunt of one who had served his time in doing and undoing recalcitrant bodices.

The woman, however, waved aside all apologies and granted the request with a ready warmth and hospitality that indicated past sufferings of a similar nature, and the bachelor maid, with a light heart and an open bodice, was enabled to return to her home and bed.

TOO LONG A TASK.



Office Boy—Want to see the gov'nor?
Widat name shall I say?
Visitor—Herr Schweitzelsburgshausen.

Office Boy—Oh, I shan't be able to pronounce all that. I'm leaving at the end of the week—Punch.

Not His Heart Beat.

She nestled her head on his manly breast.

"Oh, George," she whispered, "how long your heart beats! And every beat is for your own Angeline, isn't it, dear?"

He looked uncomfortable.
"Well, the fact is," he said, "that the engagement ring cost so much that I'm—er—obliged for the present to carry one of these dollar watches. That's what you hear."—Cleveland Leader.

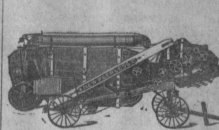
Retort Courteous.

Miss Oldwun—I've refused many, many offers of marriage.
Gayboy (absent-mindedly)—Very thoughtful and considerate of you. I'm sure.—Meggendorf-er Blatter.

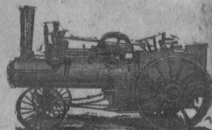
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Kentucky Fair Dates.

Harrodsburg, August 7—4 days.
Lancaster, July 18—3 days.
Cynthiana, August 1—4 days.
Danville, August 1—3 days.
Guthrie, August 23—3 days.
Florence, August 29—4 days.
Paris, September 4—5 days.
Hustonsville, July 25—3 days.
Vanceburg, August 15—4 days.
Columbia, August 21—4 days.
Madisonville, July 31—5 days.
Fern Creek, August 24—4 days.
Springfield, August 23—3 days.
Bardonia, August 29—4 days.
Shelbyville, August 23—4 days.
Glasgow, September 21—4 days.
Nicholasville, August 23—3 days.
Monticello, September 11—4 days.
Falmouth, September 26—4 days.
Shepherdsville, August 21—4 days.
Elizabethtown, Sept. 4—3 days.
Sobres, September 18—5 days.
Henderson, September 25—5 days.
Owensboro, October 2—5 days.

Washington Side Trips Free On Philadelphia or New York First-Class Tickets

Via Pennsylvania Short Lines. Ten days stop overs at Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington. Through trains to the East leave Louisville 8:30 a. m., 1:00 p. m., 3:30 p. m., 4:20 p. m., daily. For further information inquire of C. H. Hagerty, District Passenger Agt., Louisville, Ky.

Hot Springs \$15.30.

Until further notice the L. & N. railroad will sell round trip tickets to Hot Springs, Ark., for \$15.30, good until Oct. 31st.

J. C. HOSE, Agent.

A test case to settle the constitutionality of the dog tax has been brought at Frankfort.

The State College of Kentucky,

LEXINGTON, KY.

The Agricultural and Mechanical (State College) of Kentucky offers the following courses of study, viz: Agricultural, Horticultural, Chemical, Biological, Mathematical, Physical, Normal School, Classical, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Civil Engineering, and Mining Engineering, each of which extends over four years and leads to a degree. Post graduate studies are also provided, leading to a master's degree. Each course of study is organized under a separate faculty. The general faculty number nearly fifty professors and instructors.

County appointees receive free tuition, room rent in the dormitories, fuel and light, and if they remain ten months, traveling expenses. The laboratories and museums are large, well equipped, comprehensive and modern.

Graduates from the several courses of study readily find excellent positions and liberal remuneration. The demand is largely in excess of the ability of the College to supply. The matriculation for the last year was, including Summer school, 815.

Specialists with the necessary number of assistants have charge of each department of natural science. Summer schools are provided for pedagogy, engineering, instruction in science and in arts.

The State College of Kentucky, though bearing hitherto the title of "college," is the only institution in the Commonwealth doing, in any proper sense, university work.

The completion of the College home for young women provides facilities for good board and lodging. It is equipped with all modern conveniences, including bath rooms and room for physical culture. It is heated by steam and lighted by electricity.

An opportunity is thus afforded to young women of obtaining a thorough education in classics, modern language, literature, science, mathematics, logic, metaphysics, history, and political economy.

No other institution in the State offers advantages for education of women at all comparable to those offered by the State College of Kentucky.

The Normal Department will be on a better footing than ever heretofore. Last year's largely increased attendance, with the unprecedented growth of the Summer Normal School, both indicate that an era of prosperity surpassing that of all previous years has opened for the Normal Department of the State College.

For catalogues, method of obtaining appointments, information regarding courses of study, and terms of admission, apply to

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Double Herd of Elephants. Ponderous Performing Pachyderms, Presenting a Program Comique of Perfection

Stupendous Realistic Production Introducing 500 Indians, Cowboys, Scouts and Soldiers. BATTLE OF WOUNDED KNEE

The Leavenworth Zouaves. Direct from a successful European trip. America's greatest military company, presenting Rutt's Manuel of Arms to Music.

Two Companies of Cavalry, Late of the U. S. Army, in expert feats of horsemanship.

Ellsworth's Female Zouaves.

See Capt. Winston's Wonderful educated Seals

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The latest foreign novelty, Mr. Jas. Dutton and Mile. Winnie Van, grand spectacular double riding act.

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20 Male and Female Riders; 300 daring gymnasts, nimble acrobats and talented Aerialist—the pick of all arctic celebrities. 40 Merry old Clowns. Grand \$300,000.00 street parade. Three miles of gold bedecked wagons and chariots, prancing horses, dens of rare and costly wild animals, and including the season's newest novelty, a quarter of a million dollar reproduction of the battleships of our navy.

The grand musical ballet,—500 men, women and children in the cast. Chief White Thunder's Band of Indian—50 bucks, squaws and papooses. The Celebrated Banda Rosa, of 50 soloists, under direction of Antonia Oliveto, give one hour's musical program before each performance.

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W. H. Martin, Druggist, HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY.

\$5 Fine.

All persons who fail to destroy thistles and noxious weeds on their lots within the city by July 15th will be fined \$5 for each offense. Weeds and grass of all kinds on pavements to the curb line must be cut without delay. Dog days are coming and the city must be cleaned up. This is the last notice.

ELLIS ROOPER, Chief of Police.

Cheap Rates to Omaha, Neb.

One-fare plus \$2.00, account Baptist Young People's Union. Tickets sold July 9th to 12th, inclusive, good until July 18th, with extension privilege. J. B. Mallon, Agt.

Tax Notice.

All city taxes levied by the Board of Council of the City of Hopkinsville for the year 1906 are in my hands for collection, and will be due on July 1, 1906.

GUS TANDY, Tax Collector for the City of Hopkinsville—Securities For Sale.

I have a few thousand dollars of first-class seven per cent. non-taxable securities for sale. Interest payable semi-annually.

JAS. WEST, Office Commercial and Savings Bank.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Cures Croup in Two Days. Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months. This signature, E. H. Loomis, on every box. 25c.

UNIQUE GERMAN LIBRARY.

Contains Autographs and Characteristic Letters from Great Writers.

The Tauchnitz library in the family chateau near Leipzig contains not only the entire series, several thousand volumes handsomely bound in maroon calf with gold lettering, but a unique collection of autographs, says the Westminster Gazette. Here is a characteristic line from Thackeray:

"Don't be afraid of your English. A letter containing E & S is always in pretty style!"

Equally characteristic is Carlyle's crabbed utterance: "No transaction could be hand-somer on your part. The money account concerns me, please attend to that. Friendliness and help cannot be repaid, but money can and always should."

How warm-hearted Dickens' frank words: "Whatever price you put upon the book will satisfy me!" Disraeli wrote in the grand style:

"The sympathy of a great nation is the most precious reward of authors, and an appreciation that is offered us by a foreign people has something of the character and value which we attribute to the fiat of prosperity."

AN IMMENSE ROSE FARM.

Twelve Acres Are Devoted to one Flower in the Soil of California.

One of the most interesting sights in the Pomona valley is the development work now being done by a rose growing company on its rose farm at the foot of White avenue, reports the Pomona (Cal.) Times. Here may be seen literally acres of roses, the slips being planted a few weeks ago, covering the entire 12 acre tract, in rows about three feet apart.

The plants are about six inches in height, and here and there over the tract many of them are in bloom. It will be a beautiful sight when the rose bushes are grown to two or three feet in height, all in blossom.

The work of irrigating and tending the plants at this time of year requires about 25 men. From December until April, during the shipping season, probably 50 to 75 people will be kept busy. At this season the young plants are being pushed as rapidly as tender care, good soil, the available amount of sunshine and constant irrigating will accomplish it.

A READY WRITER.



Jane—Master says he doesn't give to the unemployed.

The Begging Letter Man—But I'm not unemployed, tell him. It takes me hours every day to attend to my correspondence for charitable purposes.

J. W. CROSS, Cashier.

ISAAC GARROTT, Director. R. T. CHILTON, Director. T. D. JAMESON, Director. Subscribed and sworn to before me by J. W. Cross the 3rd day of July, 1906. JOO. H. PENDLETON, N. P.

Their First Voyage.

Mr. Hyetop—This here travelers' guide says that new tourists should beware of Mal De Mer when they cross the ocean for the first time. I wonder who Mal De Mer is, Maria?

Mrs. Rytetop—Mal De Mer? Gracious, Hiram, I bet he is one of them card sharks that hangs around down in the smoking-room looking for greenhorns. —Chicago Daily News.

New Dish in London.

Hundreds of people dined off roast Russian bear the other day at two London restaurants. The bears had been imported alive from Russia and slaughtered in England. The bear steaks were so much appreciated, that roast bear, it is stated, will in future be regularly included in the menu of these and other restaurants.

QUARTERLY REPORT

OF THE
Farmers and Merchants Bank,
OF PEMBROKE, KY.,

at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1906.

RESOURCES

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| Cash and discounts | \$127,616.17 |
| Overdrafts, secured | 1,024.90 |
| Due from National Banks | 4,465.03 |
| Due from State Banks and Banks | 9,279.93 |
| Banking House and Lot | 4,500.00 |
| Other Real Estate | 00.00 |
| Horwages | 00.00 |
| U. S. Bonds | 1,000.00 |
| Other Stocks and Bonds | 00.00 |
| Current | 2,100.00 |
| Expenses for Clearings | 3,890.39 |
| Other items carried as cash | 3,332.66 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 1,200.00 |
| Fund to pay Taxes | 00.00 |
| Current Expenses last Quarter | 00.00 |
| Five percent, deposit, value and how long owned, all real estate, except banking house and lot, if any, owned longer than five years | None |

Total.....\$149,058.65

LIABILITIES

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| Capital stock paid in, in cash | \$40,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | 67.75 |
| Due Depositors as follows: | |
| Deposits subject to check on which interest is not paid | 67.87 |
| Deposits subject to check on which interest is paid | 00.00 |
| Time Certificates of deposit (on which interest is paid) | 7,076.59 |
| Savings Deposits (on which interest is not paid) | 108.06 |
| Certified Checks | 00.00 |
| Due National Banks and Banks | 54,272.45 |
| Due State Banks and Banks | 00.00 |
| Due Trust Companies | 00.00 |
| Call on Cash on Hand | 00.00 |
| U. S. Bonds on Hand | 21,000.00 |
| U. S. Bonds on Hand | 1,100.00 |
| U. S. Bonds on Hand | 300.00 |
| Capital Stock not Paid | 00.00 |

Total.....\$149,058.65

STATE OF KENTUCKY.

COUNTY OF CHRISTIAN, ss.

J. W. CROSS, Cashier of the Farmers and Merchants Bank, located and doing business on Main street in the town of Pembroke, in said county, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of the said bank at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1906, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the local in named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 30th day of June, 1906, as the day on which such report should be made.

J. W. CROSS, Cashier.

ISAAC GARROTT, Director.

R. T. CHILTON, Director.

T. D. JAMESON, Director.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by J. W. Cross the 3rd day of July, 1906.

JOO. H. PENDLETON, N. P.

To Teachers and Patrons.

There is considerable confusion in some districts on account of a misunderstanding as to which spelling book should be used in the schools. The contract with the publishers of "Read's Word Lessons" does not expire until January 18, 1907, and the "Modern Pronouncing Speller" cannot be introduced before that date.

Teachers must absolutely refuse to use the "Modern Speller" this year, and patrons should not purchase it, because such is a violation of the contract with the publishers and might involve the county in a law suit.

W. E. GRAY,

County Sup't.

Important to School Trustees

The chairman of the board of trustees of any district not having a teacher should report same to the county superintendent, thereby enabling him to furnish information to teachers, and also to aid trustees in securing teachers.

W. E. GRAY, County Sup't.

Ennis Morris,

Successor to N. E. Chappell,

Horse Shoeing,

Blacksmithing,

Woodwork and

Gen'l Repairing.

No. 209 West Seventh St.

I have associated with me J. B. Cravens, well known and experienced workman. Prices most reasonable and all work guaranteed. Try us.

Howard Brame,

PROPRIETOR

Livery and

Feed Stable.

Corner 1th and Virginia Streets,
Hopkinsville, Ky.



First-class Rigs, careful drivers and courteous attention. City hack service, meeting all trains. Funeral and wedding work a specialty. Give me a call.

Phones—Home, 133.
Cumberland, 32.



TIME TABLE.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

No. 52—St. Louis Express, 9:41 a. m.
No. 54—St. L. Fast Mail, 10:05 p. m.
No. 92—C. & N. O. Lim., 5:47 a. m.
No. 56—Hopkinsville Ac., 8:55 p. m.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

No. 51—St. L. Express, 5:18 p. m.
No. 53—St. L. Fast Mail, 5:47 a. m.
No. 93—C. & N. O. Lim., 11:50 p. m.
No. 55—Hopkinsville Ac., 6:00 a. m.

No. 57 and 58 connect at St. Louis for points west.

No. 59 connects at Memphis for Louisville, Cincinnati and all points north and east there. No. 52 and 55 also connect for Memphis and way points.

No. 52 runs through to Chicago and will not carry passengers to points South of Evansville. Also carries through sleepers to St. Louis.

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212 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

JULY 14, 1906.

Democratic Ticket.

FOR CONGRESS,
A. O. STANLEY,
OF HENDERSON.

The Weather.

For Kentucky—Probably local
thunderstorms Saturday.

Senator Crane, of Massachusetts,
was married the other day and the
bridal presents filled an entire room.

Somerset, Ky., is rejoicing over
the fact that work has begun on a
street railway system. Hopkinsville
is still living in hopes.

Judge D. L. Sanders, Police Judge
of Paducah, died this week, and the
Mayor has appointed Edw. H. Pur-
year to the vacancy.

The fifteenth international con-
vention of the Baptist Young Peo-
ples' Union of America is being held
at Omaha, Neb., with about twelve
hundred delegates in attendance.

The census for school children
shows 570,478 white and 69,277 col-
ored, in counties, and 115,785 white
and 27,791 colored in cities. Chris-
tian has 6,000 white and 5,455 col-
ored, no separate returns being
made.

George D. Meiklejohn, ex-member
of Congress from Nebraska, and
Assistant Secretary of War under
President McKinley, has announced
his candidacy for the Republican
nomination for United States Sen-
ator from Nebraska.

TELEPHONE COMPETITION.

A gentleman who recently at-
tended the big telephone conven-
tion had this to say:

"The Independent telephone con-
vention held at Chicago the last
week in June, was the greatest tele-
phone meeting ever held in the
United States. Every state in the
union was represented by many
delegates. A number of bankers
and business men of all kinds were
present to watch the various steps
taken to make each and every com-
pany stronger, and place each com-
pany in a position to offer subscrib-
ers, not only better local service
for less money, but long distance
service as well. From all reports
the people of Hopkinsville will soon
have the advantage of two good
telephone companies, whereby they
can enjoy the blessings of talking
out of town without being help up,
just the same as they can ride out
by purchasing tickets from either
railroad or telegraphing by using
either line they desire.

Why should not all of us lend a
helping hand to the Home Company
by patronizing them when we can
do so?"

HERE AND THERE.

Sweet potato slips at L.H. McKee's.
Dr. E. N. fruit, Dentist, office
over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

FOR SALE—Four gentle young
horses. R. W. Ware, Hopkinsville,
Ky., R. F. D. No. 2, p26-11.

Drs. Oldham and Gregory, Osteo-
paths, 705 S. Clay St., Hopkins-
ville, Ky.

"The kind your Grandfather used,"
and he was of rare judgment. Profit
by his experience and use Old J. W.
Harper whiskey.

W. R. LONG,
Hopkinsville, Ky.

On account Montague Sunday
School Institute, the L. & N. will
sell round trip tickets to Montague,
Tenn., at one fare, plus 25 cents, on
July 19, 20 and 21, final limit August
21, with privilege of extension to Octo-
ber 31.

On account Woman's Congress,
the L. & N. will sell round trip tick-
ets to Montague, Tenn., at one fare,
plus 25 cents, July 28, 29, 30, 31,
August 16 and 17, final limit August
31, with privilege of extension to
October 31.

COMPLETE FUSION

In Pennsylvania Between
Democrats and Lincolinites.

Philadelphia Pa., July 11.—Com-
plete fusion between the Lincoln
Republican party and the Demo-
cratic party of this State was effect-
ed yesterday at a reassembled con-
vention of the Lincoln party in this
city. The fusion ticket is as follows:
Governor—Lewis Emery, Jr., In-
dependent Republican.
Lieutenant Governor—L. S. Plack,
Democrat.
Auditor General—Wm. T. Creasy,
Democrat.
Secretary of Internal Affairs—Jno.
J. Green, Democrat.

On May 31, the Lincoln party,
which was formed in opposition to
the regular Republican organization,
and is very strong in the State, met
and nominated a full State ticket,
with Lewis Emery, Jr., at the head.
Later the Democratic State conven-
tion nominated the Lincoln party
candidate for Governor and named
Democrats for the three remaining
offices. All of the Lincoln party
candidates, except Emery, then
withdrew. The State committee of
the Lincoln party recommended the
acceptance of the Democratic candi-
dates and they were yesterday
nominated by acclamation. The
prospects are very bright for the
fusion ticket and the regular Re-
publicans are alarmed over the sit-
uation that confront them.

ONE IN EVERY

Twelve Hundred is Blind,
Says Census Report.

Washington, July 13.—About one
person in every 1,200 was blind and
one in every 850 was deaf in the
United States in 1900, according to
a special census report prepared by
Dr. A. G. Bell. The total number
of blind in the United States was
67,763, of whom 35,645 were totally
blind and 22,118 partially blind.
These figures are the minimum, as
an unknown proportion of the blind
were not located. Of the total blind
37,054 were males and 27,709 fe-
males. In about 5 per cent. of the
cases of blindness the parents were
cousins. Of the blind over 10 years
of age, 20 per cent. were engaged in
some gainful occupation.

The total number of deaf in the
United States is given as 89,287,
of whom 37,426 were totally deaf and
51,861 partially deaf. Of these
55,991 were able to speak well, 9,417
imperfectly and the remainder not
at all. Of those at least 10 years of
age 38.5 per cent. were gainfully
employed.

Think a Bit.

EDITOR KENTUCKIAN:
Please print the following, which,
I think, applies to our city officials,
as well as anybody else. Don't ex-
pect perfection in any man or set of
men:

"The errors that we charge against
our employers or against our em-
ployees, as the case may be, are ri-
diculously few when compared to
the things that are well done. There-
fore always 'count 'em' before you
censure too severely for errors.
Make allowances for the things right
before scoring for the things
wrong.—Piccolo.

FAIR MINDED.

LIQUOR QUESTION

Will Probably Be Voted Upon
in Trigg County.

A petition signed by more than a
thousand voters of Trigg, asking
for an election on the liquor ques-
tion has been filed with the County
Judge at Cadiz. The date for the
election is set for Sept. 15 and the
election will be held under the
County Unit Bill. The petition will
be acted upon by the August County
Court. There are sixteen precincts
in the county, and at present there
are saloons in only four of them.

Bids Wanted.

Scaled bids will be received for
erection of brick church in Smith-
land, Ky., until Aug. 1, 1906. Plans
by architect shown on application.
Brick and stone on lot. Foundation
ready.
Chas. Rutter / Building
W. L. Clarke / C. H. Wilson, 1 tee.
Smithland, Ky.

FOR SALE—Extra Jersey milk
cow, registered, fresh, heifer calf.
Apply to H. D. WALLACE,
Hopkinsville.

DOING THINGS THAT COUNT

County Attorney John C.
Duffy Making a
Record.

IS A TIRELESS WORKER

Has Filed Suit to Recover
About \$10,000 of Coun-
ty's Money.

When the people of Christian
county elected John C. Duffy to the
office of County Attorney last year,
though they knew something of his
loyalty to the Democratic party and
his ability as a lawyer, they hardly
realized that they had drawn a big
prize in the lottery of politics, and
that they had chosen a man who re-
garded the office as a sacred trust
and would direct every energy in
watching the county's interests. We
can truly say that Mr. Duffy is



making an exceptional officer, and
has been delving into and unearth-
ing things that have heretofore been
overlooked or indifferently per-
mitted that increased the burdens of
the people.

In substantiation of this assertion
we will mention the suit filed
by Mr. Duffy in the Circuit Court
last week. In this suit he seeks to
recover \$8,000 or \$10,000 paid in the
way of a 6 per cent penalty collected
from the taxpayers since the year
1901. For many years the sheriffs
who have served the people imbibed
the idea from one and another that
6 per cent penalty on taxes collected
after a certain date was one of the
perquisites of the office and appropri-
ated it to their individual use.
Mr. Duffy claims that this has been
done without warrant of law and
that the penalty belongs to the
county. He says that \$8,000 or
\$10,000 should be returned to the
county treasury, and hence his suit
for five years back. He also says
that the bondsmen of the different
sheriffs are liable for it, to say noth-
ing of the interest that should be
paid for the use of it for so many
years. He is confident that the
court will render judgment in the
county's favor. If the penalty be-
longs to the sheriff any one can
readily see that it would be big
money for the sheriff not to push
his collections before the time lim-
ited by law, as the fewer taxes col-
lected the greater the amount in the
way of penalties that goes into the
sheriff's pocket. This is so very
plain that even a blind man can see
it. If Mr. Duffy properly construes
the law and recovers the large
amount heretofore diverted to per-
sonal use, he will have the gratitude
of every taxpayer in the county. He,
of course, will have the fight of his
life, but he is prepared for it. There
are so many men who have revealed
in the fat of office that they are
bound to enter the arena against
the champion of the people's rights.
The struggle may be long and stub-
born, but Mr. Duffy is not the man
to surrender or compromise. It
will be the fight to a finish.

Mr. Duffy has also uncovered an-
other scheme that has worked to the
detriment of the people. He has
filed a bill of exceptions in the county
court, and seeks to recover \$800 of
the people's money that has been
paid to the county assessor for two
years for listing the county polls.
This seems to have been a precedent
established during the past few
years. Mr. Duffy has taken this
ball by the horns and is going to
hold on to the last minute. He says

that the paying to the assessor \$400
or \$450 is simply paying the officer
twice for the same thing, as the as-
sessor draws a salary, and he has no
right to receive a percentage for
listing persons that he should have
gotten when he made his assessment.

We are not making war on any
ex-officer. Mr. Duffy is doing
that, and we are only telling the peo-
ple about it. It is not our fight, but
if Mr. Duffy accomplishes what he
has started out to do, and which he
believes he will do, he will in the
future only have to ask for what he
wants of the people and he will get
it.

While Mr. Duffy, in his continuous
work for the Democratic party, has
formed the acquaintance of nearly
every man in the county, it may be
that all do not know anything of his
early life. He came to Kentucky in
1884. He was born in Glinner, W.
Va., where he is at this time visiting
after an absence of 16 years. He is
a graduate of two institutions of
learning in his native State as well
as one at Nashville. When he came
to this county he located in the
southern part, where he taught
school for awhile, afterwards accept-
ing a place in South Kentucky Col-
lege. But teaching was not exactly
to his taste and he renewed the study
of law, which he had taken up be-
fore leaving West Virginia, and in a
short time was admitted to the bar.

His success in his new profession is
too well known for comment. Being
a true-blue Southern Democrat Mr.
Duffy took to politics as naturally as
a duck to water. He has been in
every battle with the dominant party
for years, and last year when he was
named as his party's candidate for
County Attorney he went in to win
and came out of the battle by a small
majority, it is true, but which could
not have been won by anyone who
put less work and tireless energy
into the campaign than he. He won
a great victory, and doubtless higher
honors await him in the future.

INDEPENDENT CIRCUS

John Robinson's Show the
Only Big Circus Not in
the Trust.

All the really big circuses of this
country can be counted upon the
fingers of one hand, and all but one
of them are now in a combine known
as the Circus Trust, and has for its
primary object the suppression of
all legitimate competition and the
curtailing of expenses by doing



away with parade and other features
that have become so established that
the circus would indeed seem sadly
lacking without them.

The only first-class circus that did
not enter the combine this year is
the John Robinson Shows, and the
management states that they will
positively not be led by this associa-
tion of trust builders. They will
not only continue the use of the
parade as a feature, but will see that
each year adds some new and at-
tractive novelty for the approbation
of its best of patrons and admirers.
Their action in thus standing out
alone against the combine ought to
win them many friends, and it is
safe to predict that their appearance
here on Monday, July 16, will be
greeted with capacity business at
both the afternoon and night per-
formances.

The Texas Wonder.

Cures all Kidney, Bladder and Rheu-
matic troubles; sold by all druggists
or two month's treatment by mail
for \$1. Dr. E. W. Hall, 224 Olive
street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for Ken-
tucky testimonials. Sold by R. C.
Hardwick.

Mamma Says "4-10" is pure and
sure. The price suits me, says Pappa

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The Old Reliable Jewelry House

of Hopkinsville is, after all, the best place to get anything in the
Jewelry line. There's a record behind us, a record of over
thirty years; a clean record of satisfied customers, a record of
honest dealing, for honest quality, honest prices. It's a record
any Jeweler might feel proud of. And when we sell an article
we have in mind that we have a record to maintain, and no slip-
shod methods, no careless workmanship, no lack of quality, is
ever allowed to mar the record of the past. But to improve, if
possible, this record, is ever our aim, and goods are sold for as
low a price as it is possible to sell reliable goods.

It will pay you in the end to deal with the Old Reliable
Jeweler.

M. D. KELLY,

N. Main St., Opp. Court House.

New York Life.

Hopkinsville, Ky., April 30th, 1906.

Mr. Walter F. Garnett, Agent,
New York Life Insurance Co., City.

Dear Sir:—
It gives me pleasure to acknowledge receipt of statement of optional
settlement on 20-Payment Life Policy, No. 223,533, for \$1,500.00, issued
at age 35, with premium of \$52.50, taken out with you Apr. 29, '86. After
having been insured for 20 years, I am offered a paid up policy for \$1,500
and a cash dividend of \$406.88, or the total value may be withdrawn in
cash—\$1,215.85, (which is more than I have paid in the 20 years) or a
fully paid up policy payable at my death for \$2,219.00.

The cash settlement of \$1,215.85 is equal to Term Insurance at
\$12.87 per \$1,000 and an investment of the balance of premiums with 5 1/2
per cent. compound interest for twenty years. This showing is certainly
creditable one for the New York Life, and I will be pleased to give you
my application for \$1,000 on the Ordinary Life plan.

Yours very truly, C. E. WEST.

James Plagiol
Marseille

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Ranks at the top
of the World's pro-
ductions of high
grade oil, and has
taken

First Prize
at the following
competitive ex-
hibits:

Philadelphia 1876,
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New Orleans 1884,
Melbourn 1889.

We have the above oil for sale
and give as reference any-
one who has used it.

W. T. Cooper & Co.,
Red Front Grocery.

Threshermen Attention.

"HONEST DEALING"

Is my motto. So if
you want fair and
square dealings call
on me and you shall
have it. I do not pre-
tend to run a whole-
sale supply house and
I want to assure you
I make no confidential
prices to anyone.
Each and every cus-
tomer is treated with
the same courtesy.

My line is complete
and I can supply your
wants, and during the
threshing season we
are prepared to do
machine work day
or night.

Don't forget the
place—corner 8th and
Clay streets.

Yours to please,

M. H. McGrew,
(Successor to Metcalfe &
McGrew.)

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Residence—Cumb. 498.

Ennis Morris,

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Have associated with me J. B.
Cravens, a well known and ex-
perienced workman. Prices most
able and all work guaranteed.

Farmers!

Use lime on your
lands and grow clover
and alfalfa.

Special prices on
lime to farmers of 25c
to 45c per bbl. accord-
to amount used!

Palmer Graves.



LITTLE CRACKERS.
"Love hath its victories" and also its victims.

What is the oldest game known to man? The game of hearts!

Perhaps the yellow newspaper is yellow because it should not be read!

The splendor falls on castle walls
The newspaper prints a muck-rake story!
The trust magnate is roasted brown
And shorn of joy is all his glory!

The collar button trust has been busted. This will "knock warts," will it not?

If the strawberry plant withers dig it up and go fishing with the white grub on the roots.

The man who shaves himself may cut his chin, but he doesn't have to listen to the barber's.

I wonder how large a mattress could be made of the locks of hair loaned during "love's young dream."

I want to hear the old songs.
If you don't mind the bother.
The old songs! Sing every one—
Except the one to "Father."

Thomas Jefferson Meek, a veteran newspaper man, publisher and railroad man, denies the report printed in a St. Louis paper that he is dead. Seems to me Meek ought to be the best judge.

A California newspaper wants the married man to wear a wedding ring, that the public may know he is married. What's the matter with the editor, anyhow? Can't he see the marital yoke?

Alas, for him who never sees
The love light through his eyes there's
Who single whiles his time away,
Who eats his meals at clubs each day,
Who hath not known of family bliss
Or slipped from lips the morning kiss!
A life is sought but sacrifice
That never paid for coal or fire!

An authority says: "To kill bugs lay shingles near your squash plants and squash 'em every morning!" Those having wood-eaters or "chiggers" may dispense with the use of shingles.

There was a girl in our town
Who was wondrous wise;
She sought a pair of stockings
Of long and ample size.
Then straightaway she madden
Cut off the alien feet.
And now with gloves long wristed,
She looks almightily sweet!

A Sign of Destiny.
"Little boy," said the wise philosopher upon the bank, watching the lads disporting themselves in the limpid water of the old swimmin' hole, "little boy, come here!"

"Waterwont?" queried Nicky Pass-binder, ceasing in his mad endeavor to pick a clam-shell from the bottom of the river with his toes, "want's eatin' ye?"

"Come, come, little boy," repeated the observer, "come to me, I see on your boy the sign of destiny! Look, playmates! See—right there under his arm is a mark regarded by the Arabs as the omen of a great destiny!"

Little Nicky looked where the wise philosopher indicated on his gleaming, dripping skin, and blurted:
"Aw, go on, old fellow! What's matter wid' you? Dat's where m' little brudder Bill hit me wid a ax! See!"

And the wise philosopher, sighing, held his peace.

Chronological.
If you want to know what mean time is just attend one of those "strictly informal" functions in your working clothes.

Decollete.
"That was funny about the failure of the Sisterhood of Society Women in New York city, wasn't it?"

"Broke up, eh?"
"Yes."

"And when the society women found they couldn't wear those cute little insignias over the heart, the bubble burst!"

"I see, but why couldn't they wear the badges next their hearts?"

"Why? Notin' to pin 'em to, of course!"

Quinine and Plum Fudding.
We have spoke about the bottle of hair restorer made of rum and sent recently by a good Samaritan, which we have been using as a beverage. We now keep a bottle of it in the house all the time, and last Sunday we had some friends to dinner, and the cook poured about half a bottle of the hair promoter on the plum pudding and so it affere. Our guests eat it all up, but when they got through, their faces was all wrinkled up and they looked as if they had swallowed the bitter pill of adversity.
—Herdman (Tenn.) Free Press.

New Pants for the Band.
A subscription has been started to purchase a new pair of breeches for our band. He's been plowing in the present pair—Gratitude (S. D.) Bee.

Bygone Williams

LATEST THING OUT.

Vineless Potato a Complete Success.

A half-bushel of sawdust, a dash of chemical solution and fifteen potatoes carefully enveloped with the sawdust will enable the average householder to grow a bushel of tubers on his house-top or in his cellar within sixty days. This process has been discovered and elaborated by W. D. Darst, of Great Falls, Mont. Moreover, the grower will have no potato bugs to contend with, he will have no turning out of the soil at certain intervals, and there will be no contest with grub-worms. The product of Mr. Darst's process is termed the "vineless potato" because of the fact that, grown under these apparently unnatural conditions, there is no surface vegetation. Because of this each potato in the sawdust is enabled to produce at least twelve normal-sized tubers.

At the Oakland Plaza, in the rear of the Oakland hotel, in Chicago, Mr. Darst disclosed the methods of growing potatoes by his system. Operating on the theory that the presence of surface vegetation was only a method of securing nourishment and in reality sapred the vitality of the tuber, Mr. Darst experimented more than six years and found he could overcome this seemingly natural course on the part of the plant by supplying it artificially with its needs.

By employing sawdust, peat, straw or any other earth product that would permit of the circulation of air, moisture and heat and the application of solutions of various salts he discovered that a single potato would multiply itself by attaching to itself from twelve to sixteen other potatoes of approximately the same dimensions without throwing off any of its energy above ground.

Packed in loosely arranged bins permitting the free access of air and arranging in rows six inches above each other, with an allowance of one cubic foot of sawdust to the seedling, Mr. Darst has demonstrated the rapidity of growth and the proportions that the potatoes may attain by showing that within sixty days fifteen potatoes will produce a bushel. In the character of his experiments and the success that has attended upon them Mr. Darst has the indorsement of Luther Burbank, the eminent horticulturist and botanist.—Exchange.

HANGED TO TRANSOM.

Patient in the Asylum Takes His Own Life.

W. C. Kuykendall, a patient at the Western Asylum, 59 years old, committed suicide Thursday night by hanging himself in his room with a rope made from pieces of the sheet from his bed. It was tied to the transom over the door. He was found by the night watch, but life was extinct. He had never shown symptoms of suicidal mania before. He was from Warren county.

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Helpless Childhood.
They couldn't for the life of them agree on the name for the newest boy baby. They didn't disagree—not that they just couldn't decide on a name. At length somebody suggested that they compromise so that "no possibility of a name that had ever been used—a second-hand appellation—should by chance be chosen. It was suggested that the letters of the alphabet be put in the hat and drawn out one by one until a collection was drawn with vowels and consonants sufficient to manufacture a brand-new name. It was done, and to this day he bears the name of "Drewh." The next boy in the family bears the name, decided upon in the same manner, of "Koyil." —Macon Telegraph.

COMPLETE VINDICATION.

French Supreme Court Renders Final Decision In Famous Case.

DREYFUS IS SET FREE.

After Much Suffering He Is Acquitted and Restitution Will Follow.

Paris, July 12.—Alfred Dreyfus was today completely acquitted of the charges on which he was condemned as a traitor, dismissed from the army and imprisoned on Devil's Island, and regarding which France has been torn for years by the most bitter political and racial agitation. His vindication is two-fold, the Supreme Court first announcing a decision establishing the entire innocence of the accused man and the Ministry later deciding to present an urgent bill in Parliament restoring Dreyfus to the army with advanced rank and otherwise giving reparation.

The decision of the court was a foregone conclusion. Exhaustive inquiries had completely demolished the accusation against Dreyfus, showing that the real culprit was Major Count Esterhazy. The decision therefore annulled the condemnation of the Rennes court-martial and ordered that the acquittal be posted and published throughout France.

Tonight the ministers held a protracted special session at the Elysee Palace under President Fallieres and determined on the Government's course. Two bills were formulated which will be introduced in the Chamber of Deputies tomorrow, concerning respectively Dreyfus and Col. Picquart. The object is to restore both to the ranks they would have held if they had served continuously in the army. Dreyfus consequently will be nominated a Major with eventual early promotion to Lieutenant Colonelship. Picquart will immediately become Brigadier General. Dreyfus name also will be inscribed for the list of the Legion of Honor, but he will not be directly nominated to that distinction.

BOLD ESCAPE.

Convict's Nerve and Successful Break for Liberty.

Clarksville, Tenn., July 12.—A white prisoner named Barnes, who was doing time on the county chain gang for assault and battery on a man named Jarmon, made his escape yesterday in rather a bold and nerve way. Guard Smith and Robert Powers are in charge to have left the gang in charge of Marvin Sanders and Walter Maxey to go after a 12-year-old boy who had run away. During Smith's absence Barnes is said to have slipped up behind Maxey and grabbed his pistol from his pocket. He is said to have drawn the gun on Maxey and while thus guarded, with the aid of a chisel, unfasted the ball and chain which was locked around his leg. He then made his escape and has not yet been captured. Officers were out looking for him yesterday afternoon but he was not located. Barnes is said to be a dangerous man. Recently he was put in jail for assault and upon another occasion was jailed for a similar offense but was given his liberty upon promise to leave the State.

Lightning Hit It.

The new concrete smokestack at the asylum power house, completed last year, was struck by lightning Wednesday and a large crack made in it. The damage can be repaired. The smokestack is 134 feet high.

\$5 Fine.

All persons who fail to destroy thistles and noxious weeds on their lots within the city by July 15th will be fined \$5 for each offense. Weeds and grass of all kinds on pavements to the curb line must be cut without delay. Dog days are coming and the city must be cleaned up. This is the last notice.

—ELLIOT ROYER, Chief of Police.

CHAMPION LIAR

Has Broken Loose Out In the Wild West.

Omaha, July 11.—Mrs. John Underwood, of New York, who has been camping with her husband in the Black Hills, owes her life to songs, which saved her from a mountain lion, which attacked her last night. The animal leaped on the woman, knocked her down and stood with its forefeet on her breast. Mrs. Underwood screamed, but suddenly remembered that ferocious beasts sometimes are tamed by music, and began to sing. As long as she sang the animal stood harmless, but whenever she ceased it growled and appeared as if about to kill her. All night long she kept up her song, and in the morning, when she was almost overcome by exhaustion, she was found by her husband with the lion standing over her. Mr. Underwood shot the animal.

OWNER DESTROYS

'Painted Rock' to be Rid of Crowds it Drew.

Washington, Pa., July 13.—"Painted Rock," a historic boulder which stood on the top of a hill overlooking the Monongahela River, near Millersboro, was blown up yesterday by dynamite, by Joseph Horner, upon whose farm the stone was located. Horner destroyed the rock because he was annoyed by the thousands of persons which it attracted to his farm each year. The boulder was in the shape of an altar, and had been carved by the Indians with figures of men, bears, wolves, snakes and strangers of all, a kangaroo. For more than a hundred years it has been considered one of the most important remains of the written characters of the North American Indians. Columns have been published about it from the pens of eminent scientists and historians.

Educational Notes.

The largest body of students that assembled in any one place in the South last year was at Bowling Green, Ky., attending the Bowling Green Business University.

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Blankenship-Howton.

W. S. Blankenship, of near Macedonia, and Mrs. Mary Howton, of Dawson, were married Monday. They will reside in this county.

Executor's Sale

Of Farm Property

Wednesday, Aug. 8th,

At 10 O'clock A. M.

According to the directions of the will of Mrs. Martha U. Cook, dec'd., I will offer for sale to the Highest and Best Bidder or Bidders, at Public Auction, Wednesday, August 8th, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., all the farm property of deceased, situated on the South side of Fairview Pike, near the Western Asylum.

This is fine farm property and all persons desiring good land should attend this sale, which will begin promptly at 10 o'clock at the corner nearest town, directly opposite the residence of W. L. Parker, Esq. For plat, terms, etc., call on

JAMES O. COOK, Executor,

Corner 9th and Clay Streets, HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

LOCAL LEAFLETS.

Hot weather does not seem to have any effect on the attendance at the skating rink.

The great advantage of concrete pavements over brick walks is that the weeds can't grow on them.

Monday is circus day, but only what is absolutely necessary will be unloaded and but a few small tents will be put up on Sunday.

"The man behind the hoe" has been already, and will be the balance of the week, very much in evidence. The order to "clean up" will be enforced Monday.

Thus far mosquitoes have been rather scarce, but house flies are plentiful and the insect, like the collector, will be around with his little bill in due time. "Don't you give him out."

A carnival was held in the spring, another has been going on here this week, and it is said that things are to be made lively by another in the fall. We are certainly "getting gray."

The excruciating noise of the flying jenny on the lot adjoining the Episcopal church, which is supposed to be music, is stayed at 10 o'clock at night, much to the relief of those of the neighborhood who love to "turn in" at about that hour.

Some men may not like the job of having to cut the grass off their pavements, but appearances, to say nothing of the health of their own and their neighbors' families, ought to prompt them to put in an hour or more at least early to comply with the rules of health, if not with the ordinance made a law by the city council. If we have the best streets and sidewalks in the State, why not have the cleanest streets?

Leprosy Cured By Prayer.

One of the most romantic stories in the history of modern missions concerns how a young Ohio man, Mary Reed, discovered, when on furlough in this country, that she was afflicted with leprosy. Without telling the news to her family, until she had sailed, she went back to her field in India and took up her work among the lepers. After a time her disease, which eminent physicians in London and India had pronounced leprosy, ceased to develop, and now, following a number of years' work, among the lepers in the Himalayas, the doctors report that she is absolutely well again. The cure is attributed by Miss Reed and her friends directly to prayer.—Ex.

Cool Shot Saves Passengers.

Charlotte, N. C.—A panic was caused in a crowded car of an excursion train near here when John Elliston, of Aultreyville, arose and announced his intention of killing everybody in the car. A passenger named Bledsoe, of Stedman, at once fired, killing Elliston instantly. Elliston's revolver was found to be loaded and between his feet was a jug of whisky.

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JOHN HENRY

ON RACE TIPSTERS.

By HUGH McHUGH
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"There We Sat."

One day last week I was beating the ballast up Broadway when Pete, the Piker, declared himself in and began to chatter about cinches at the track. "Get the saw, Pete, and cut it," I said. "It's many a long day since I've been a Patsy for the ponies. Once they stung me so hard that for months my bank account looked like a porous plaster, so I took the chloroform treatment and now you and your tips to the discards, my boy, to the discards!"

Pete isn't really a native of Dopeville-on-the-venice, but he likes to have people think he knows the racing game backwards.

And he does--backwards. In real life he's a theatrical manager and his name on the three-sheets is Peter J. Battine, the Human Salary Spiller.

In theatrical circles they call him the impresario with the sawdust koto and the split-second appetite. Every time Pete poses as an angel for a troupe if you listen hard you can hear the fuse blow out somewhere between Albany and Schenectady.

From time to time over 2,197 actors have had to walk home on account of Pete's cold feet. Pete can develop a severe case of frost-bite pavers quicker than any angel that ever had to dig for the oatmeal money.

Pete is an Ace all right--the Ace of Clumps!

His long suit when he isn't dishing out his autobiography is to stand around a race track and bark at the bookmakers.

Pete is one I would call a plunger with the lid on.

He never bets more than two dollars on a race and even then he keeps wailing he had it back.

Pete had me nailed to the corner of Broadway and 42d street for about ten minutes when fortunately Bunch Jefferson rolled up in his new key, ne car and I needed no second invitation to hop aboard and give Pete the happy day-day.

"Whither away, Bunch?" I asked, as the Bubble began to do a Togo through the fattest streets in the town. "I thought I'd run up and get the girls and take 'em for a spin out to the Belmont Park races," Bunch came back.

"Did you telephone them?" I inquired.

"No, but I told Alice this morning that if I got through at the office in time I'd take her to the track. We can call for Peaches on the way across town," was Bunch's programme.

"Whisper, Bunch!" I suggested; "let's do the selfish gag for once and leave the wives at home. I haven't bet a nickel on a skate for two years, but my little black man has the steering wheel to-day and I'm going to fall off the sense wagon and break a five dollar bill."

"I'm with you, John," chuckled Bunch, and half an hour later we were

Flash being an old friend of ours Bunch had to fall for the apfel and loaned him the Bubble forthwith.

Ten minutes later we were so busy listening to the sure-things falling from the eager tongues of the various friends we met that we quite forgot all about Flash and the busy barouche.

The first cinch-blower we fell over was Harry McDougal, the inventor of the stingsome mosquito net in use on all Jersey farms.

Harry has the mosquito game down to a fine art, and he's going to take a sextette of them into vaudeville next season.

He has trained these twelve scents to sing "Zobia Grassa," and Al Holbrook has promised to teach them a Venetian dance.

Harry offered us four winners in the first race and two cigars.

He told us if we lost to smoke the cigars carefully and we'd forget our troubles and our names; but if we won we could use the cigars as firecrackers.

Then we ran across Jeff D'Angella, the composer of the new tune now played on the automobile horns.

Jeff hadn't picked out a horse to win any race because his loyalty to sneezes is so intense that he won't even drink a horse's neck.

He explained that he only came to the race track to show the horses his smoke-buggy and make them shiver.

George Yates, the inventor of the machinery for removing sunburn from pickles, was there and he tried to present us with a sure winner in the third race.

A little later on we discovered that the horse Yates was doing a rave over had been dead for four years and that the race card from which he was lifting his dugs was the programme of the meet at Sheephead in 1896.

Some kind and thoughtful stranger had lifted fifty cents from George's surprise and in return had stung him with an ancient echo of the pitty-pats.

Our next adventure was with Joe Miron, the famous horse trainer and inventor of the only blue mare in captivity at Elmhurst.

"Say, why didn't I see you guys before the first race? I had a plush-covered pipe!" yelled Joe.

"I had that race beat to a stage wall," Joe went on, enthusiastically.

"Why, all you had to do was play 'The Goblin Man' to win and 'Murdello' for a place--it was just like getting money from the patent medicine business."

"How much did you win, Joe?" I inquired.

"Who, me?" Joe came back. "Why I didn't get here in time to place a bet. I drove over from Elmhurst and the blue mare burst a tire. But, say, I've got a mother's dard in the third race! Oh, it's a ladybug for certain!"

You guys play 'Perhaps' to win and you'll go home looking like Pierp Morgan after a busy day. I can't see this claim can't I. Say that horse 'Perhaps' wears gold-plated overhoses and it can kick more track behind it than any other you ever see! Why, it's got ball-bearing castors on the feet and it wears a naphtha engine in the forward turret. Get reckless with the coin, boys, and go the limit, and if the track happens to cave in, it'll do you good. I'll drag you down to Elmhurst behind the blue mare and make the auction pump in the backyard under an imitation of Walter Jones singing 'Captain Kidd' with the bum pipes."

Joe was so much in earnest about it that Bunch and I put up fifty on 'Perhaps' and waited.

We are still waiting.

"Perhaps" may have been a good horse but he had a bad memory and never could recollect which end of the track was the proper place to finish.

Joe must have left for Elmhurst immediately after the race because he failed to answer roll call.

Then we ran across Dave Torrence, the famous inventor of the disappearing trumpet so much used by pinocchio players.

When Dave began to dope 'em out for us Bunch and I hid our pocket-books in our shoes.

There were tears in Bunch's eyes, but I was busy looking for a rock.

"Here's a good one," Dave suggested. "Listen to this one: 'Easy Money' out of 'Life Insurance' by 'Director' and here's a good one, 'Chauffeur' out of 'Automobile' by 'Policeman'! Do you want for those?"

"Here are some more peacherinos," Dave went on, relentlessly. "Here's 'Gold Player' out of 'Business' by 'Mosquito' and here's another good one: 'Roses' out of 'Daisies' out of 'Rus-sia' by 'Japan' like 'em'!"

Bunch and I handed Dave the rock and he fled for our lives.

Then we got down to business and began to lose our money with more system and less noise.

At the end of the fifth race we

hadn't the slightest leather sandwich between us and the other.

Every dog we had mentioned to the bookies proved to be a false alarm.

Every turtle we planned on carried our money to the bonfire and burned it in.

"My little black man is whimpering, Bunch," I said. "I'm cured."

"One hundred and sixty bucks to the bad for miles," laughed Bunch.

"I guess that will hold me temporarily. Come on, John; let's hop in the Bubble and dash back to the Hotel Astor; the girls will be waiting for us."

We hurried to the spot where Flash Harvey was to leave the racehopper, but there was no sign of Flash or the machine.

Seven o'clock came and still no sign of Flash or the Bubble, and there we sat, two sad boys without a haubie in the jeans, hungry to the limit and with an ever present vision of our two worried wives displacing a bunch of expensive spars in a restaurant while they waited for us to show.

It was pitiful.

Eight o'clock came, no Flash, no machine, while there we waited and watched our hair as it slowly turned gray.

I had gone through my pockets till I wore holes in them without locating anything in the shape of money, but finally on about the nine hundred and nineteenth lap Bunch discovered a dollar bill tucked away in a corner, whereupon we turned our faces to every point of the compass and waited while they waited for us to show.

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**Genuine
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**Dawson
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For sale at our
soda fountain or in
jugs. Received
fresh every day.
See us for prices.

**Cook & Higgins,
Druggists.**

Both } Home, 1215. Main
Phones. } Cumberland, 58. Street

SCHOOL CENSUS.

**Nearly 800,000 School Chil-
dren in State.**

There are 733,331 children of school age in the state, according to the compilation of the annual school census, just completed by State Superintendent Fuqua. Of this number, 636,263 are white and 97,068 colored. The per capita for the ensuing school year has been fixed at \$3.30. There are 11,455 children of the school age in Christian county.

Lives in Three Centuries.

Centralia, Ill., July 10.—Peter White, a negro, has reached his 107th birthday. He was born in Virginia, a slave, and remained a bondsman until freed at the time of the civil war. White saw a large part of the war of 1812, and recalls many events of that day. He says he has seen Harrison, Polk, Tyler and other great men of early times.

**Good to
Remember!**

WHY PEOPLE GET THE HABIT!

THINGS OBTAINABLE AT
NO OTHER STORE
IN TOWN.

- 1 Quick and prompt reply to all telephone calls at all hours, day or night.
- 2 All the leading Daily Papers.
- 3 Absolute correct time from our Western Union electric clock, (by phone or visit.)
- 4 "Thelma," the new Perfume.
- 5 Prompt service in obtaining trained nurses without cost to you.
- 6 Gunther's Candies.
- 7 All the leading Magazines on sale every day.
- 8 Haubigant's Perfume and Face Powder.
- 9 Kentucky Belle Cigars.
- 10 Opera dates and seats.
- 11 Quick prompt service and the best drinks at our fountain, which you are cordially invited to visit.

**Anderson-Fowler
DRUG CO.**
[INCORPORATED.]
Corner 9th and Main Sts.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. R. K. Ward is in Chicago.
Mr. J. H. Anderson and family are at Dawson.

Miss Verna Southall visited friends in Cadiz this week.

Mrs. Willie Weaks went to Paducah this week.

Miss Cornelia Edd has returned from a visit to St. Louis.

Prof. A. G. Reichert, of Texas, is here on a visit to relatives.

Prof. William H. Harrison, of Russellville, is in the city until Monday.

Mr. Wm. McCann, of New Orleans, is here on a visit to relatives.

Miss Louise Mitchell, of Owensboro, is the guest of Miss Martha Hardwick.

Miss Katie Mitchell is visiting Misses Maude and Myrtle Dawson at Herndon.

Miss Willie Harned, who had been visiting in Little Rock, Ark., returned home Monday.

J. B. Harris has accepted a position with B. B. Rice, who, a few days ago, purchased the grocery business of Twyman & Ferguson.

Mr. Frank McCarroll, who had been visiting his mother, Mrs. Sue McCarroll, near the city, returned to his home in Dallas, Texas, the first of this week.

Rev. A. C. Biddle went to Caseyville Thursday, having been called there to preach the funeral of Mrs. Capt. Kirk, who was Eleanor Beckham.

Mr. Horace Herndon, who is cashier in the office of the Southern Express Co. at Montgomery, Ala., after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Herndon, returned home the first of this week.

Mr. T. V. Dawson, the Herndon merchant, spent several days this week at Linn City, in Hopkins county, prospecting and looking after some real estate he owns at that place.

The many friends of the family will regret to learn that Mr. Lannes Huggins is critically ill of typhoid fever at his home near Allen's Creek, Tenn. Mr. Huggins is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Huggins, of this city, and his mother is at his bedside.

Col. Wm. L. Bamberger, has returned home from Hot Springs, where he had been for the last three weeks. The Colonel has been suffering from muscular rheumatism contracted while out fishing. He says Hot Springs is the place for rheumatism, and he comes back as good as new.

THEY KNOW HOW.

**J. T. Wall & Co's Great Sale
and the Way they Ad-
vertise.**

Surely observation ought to teach some men a lesson in business methods, none of which are more conducive to success than judicious advertising. It is questionable whether a man can succeed in commercial life without advertising—while it is an incontrovertible fact that the men who advertise wisely are the successful ones. We speak from a local view point. When our leading merchants—the men who do the business in their lines of trade—want to move a special line of goods they advertise liberally and accomplish what they start out for. Everybody knows this. Take the course in vogue of just one house. See the way in which they are telling of the wonderful sale to begin today by the advertising matter covering the entire front of the store. They called into use whole pages of the papers, thus proclaiming from the chimney tops and throughout the whole section what great things are in store for the people. Frankel, Anderson & Co., Bassett and others are on to all the advertising dodges—and in plain English, who are the leading business men, those who advertise or those who do not!

NEW INDUSTRY.

**Elizabethtown Man Will
Start Frog Farm.**

An Elizabethtown citizen has gone into frog breeding, from which he believes he will make for himself a neat little fortune. Every small boy in and about the town is courting the country for frogs at \$1 per dozen and he claims he can put his whole output on the Louisville market at \$1.40 per dozen.

TWENTY ARRESTS

**For Three Days Looks Like
Another Record Breaker.**

Everybody inclined to be bad seems to be "breaking out" all at once, though a majority of them are among the colored population. Hot weather seems to breed crime and the police have been forced to take lessons in physical culture which they would rather have deferred until fall. From Tuesday to Friday morning they were kept busy, making in all twenty arrests for the three days. The slate at police headquarters gives the following samples of the different kinds of devilry that are now being practiced.

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|---------------------------------|---|
| Drunks | 7 |
| Fornication | 7 |
| Breach of the peace | 2 |
| Violating livery contract | 2 |
| Street walking | 1 |
| Profane language | 1 |

Total

Eight arrests were made from the first of the month to the 10th.

MRS. MARY R. WOOD

**Passes Away After a Long
Illness.**

Mrs. Mary Rebecca Wood, widow of Lee Wood, died Wednesday night at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. Jack Torian, three miles North of Gracey. She had not enjoyed good health for a year or more. Mrs. Wood was about sixty years old and a member of the Baptist church. She is survived by several children, among whom are Mrs. M. H. McGrew, of this city; Mrs. Jack Torian and Mrs. J. C. Thurmond, of the Gracey neighborhood; Mrs. William Robb and Messrs. Winfield and Arthur Wood, of Arizona, and W. R. Wood, of Elktion.

Shortly after the death of her husband Mrs. Wood moved to Hopkinsville and resided here several years.

The interment took place in the family burying ground yesterday.

Grain Market.

Corrected each issue by A. M. Cooper & Co., Brokers (successors to M. D. Boales). Phones: Cumberland, 3. Home, 1304. Uptains h. Phoenix building, Hopkinsville, Ky.

| WHEAT—OPEN | HIGH | LOW | CLOSE |
|------------|------|-----|-------|
| July... | 77½ | 78½ | 77½ |
| Sept... | 78½ | 79½ | 78 |
| Corn— | | | |
| July... | 52½ | 52½ | 52½ |
| Sept... | 52½ | 53 | 52½ |
| Oats— | | | |
| July... | 39½ | 38½ | 38½ |
| Sept... | 36½ | 36½ | 35½ |

Moonlight at Herndon.

Misses Maude and Myrtle Dawson delightfully entertained a large number of their friends at a moonlight picnic given Thursday night at their home at Herndon. Several from this city attended.

Death Near Elmo.

Charles Smith died at his home near Elmo Tuesday. He had been a sufferer from rheumatism for twenty years and the disease finally caused his death.

**Great Reduction
In Prices of
Wall Paper**

Nobody is absolutely infallible. We all make some mistakes. One of our mistakes of last season was buying too much wall paper.

We want to turn our surplus stock into cash for two reasons, viz: We need the cash and want to make room for the new fall stock. In order to do this,

**We will for the next ten
days, beginning Mon-
day, July 16, sell every-
thing in the WALL
PAPER line at greatly
reduced prices.**

We mean business.

W. A. P'POOL & SON,
(Successors to Jack Mendor.)

First Statement

OF THE

**Commercial and
Savings Bank,**

Hopkinsville, Kentucky,

June 30th, 1906.



RESOURCES:

| | |
|------------------------------|---------------------|
| Loans | \$125,324.08 |
| Overdrafts | 704.40 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 6,455.32 |
| Due From Banks | 23,615.50 |
| Cash on Hand | 26,735.02 |
| | \$182,834.32 |

LIABILITIES:

| | |
|-------------------------|---------------------|
| Capital Stock | \$50,000.00 |
| Undivided Profits | 1,731.54 |
| Deposits | 131,102.79 |
| | \$182,834.32 |

**I Am a Real Young Infant,
But Watch Me Grow.**

PHOENIX BUILDING.

OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS FROM 6 TO 9 O'CLOCK.

James West, President.

W. T. Cooper, V.-Pres. Gus T. Brannon, Cashier.